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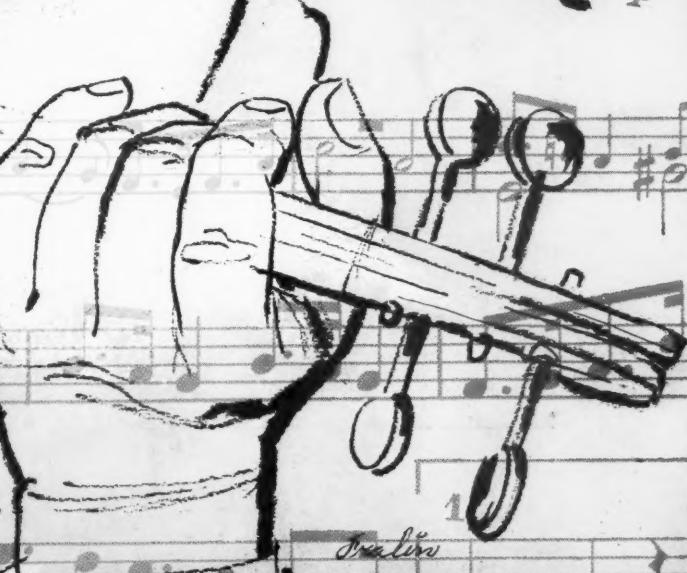
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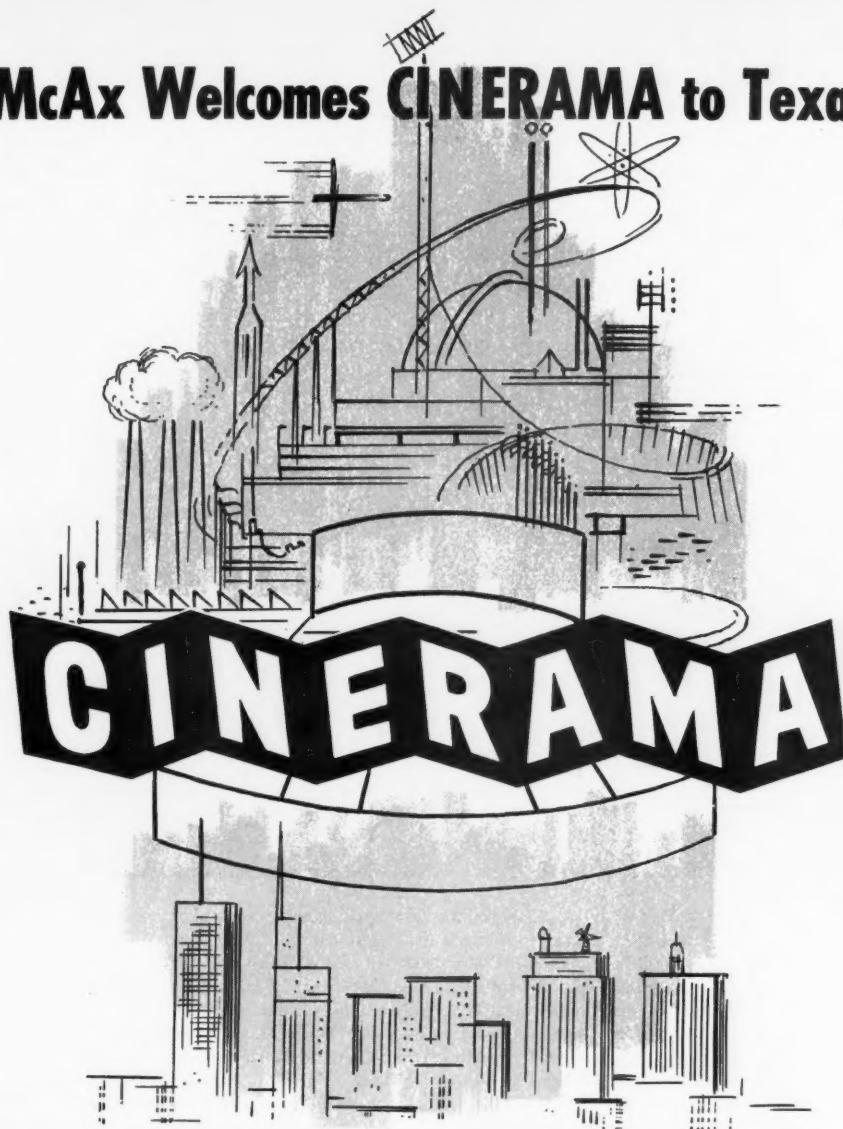


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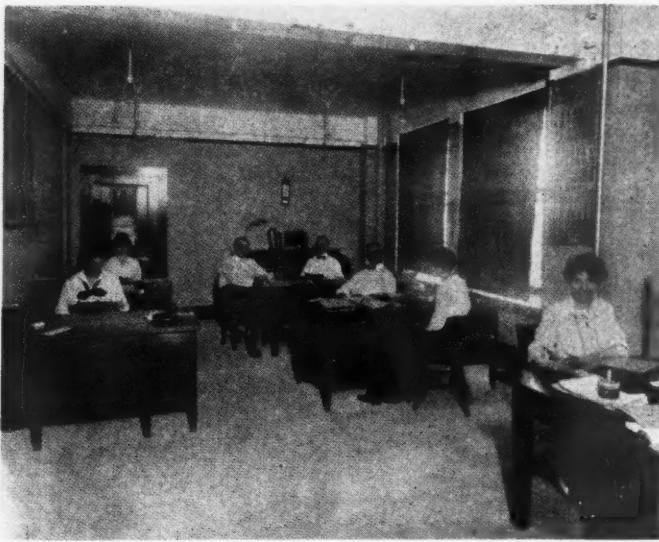
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By DALE MILLER  
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# Indo-China: The Black Dawn

HERE is an atmosphere of cynicism in Washington these days which hangs like a pall over the patriotic and thinking citizenry of this sensitive Capital City, and the reason for it is not difficult to understand. During the past several weeks the political stage has been preempted by as dismal a spectacle of pettifogery and puerility as has debased the dignity of a great nation in many a year, while behind the curtain of these critical times, shunted to one side and all but ignored, a drama of profound importance to the future of the free world has been grimly and inexorably developing.

As to the Army-McCarthy hearings, the less said about them at this late hour the better. The issues which precipitated the controversy were unimportant to begin with, and soon became pointless, yet they were paraded before the world *ad infinitum* and *ad nauseam*, at a time when the world was parading before us a panorama of deep significance to our destiny, and it went virtually unheeded before our eyes. Whatever may be said for and against the Army-McCarthy hearings and the curious personalities involved in them, the basic tragedy of the controversy lay in the sorry spectacle we presented nakedly before the world, and in the diversion of the attention, not only of our nation's leaders but of the people generally, from the serious problems, such as that in Indo-China, which should have commanded our most earnest consideration. We have been listening to the magpies, when we should have been watching the vultures.

This is not to say that the Administration itself has been neglectful of its responsibilities in the crisis in Indo-China. Secretary Dulles and others have been working desperately around the clock in Geneva and elsewhere, trying to find some



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solution to the most serious diplomatic problem which has plagued the free world since Munich. But they have been working in a vacuum of almost futility and despair, with little real awareness among their own people at home of the gravity of their problem, and thus with little substantial ballast for the trial balloons they have released in the troubled skies of diplomacy.

Indo-China has been regarded loosely by our people as another Korea, when actually the two situations are different in more respects than they are comparable. Except for a common enemy, the problems are dissimilar. Indeed, the dissimilarities which we have not yet fully recognized are responsible for much of the confusion in the minds of our people which has handicapped our diplomacy abroad; and the antics indulged in by our leaders on Capitol Hill has not been conducive to any public enlightenment on the serious problems which confront us.

The Korean emergency was quickly grasped and easily understood by our people because it was precipitated abruptly by a frontal assault, much in the manner of Pearl Harbor, whereas the Indo-China crisis has been slow in the making. In Indo-China the menace has been a creeping and insidious thing, developing like a cancer from the nuisance of a little colonial war into a malignant evil in the organism of the free world. The Korean War was primarily one of principle, with the forces of freedom being compelled to take a stand against aggression; but the stakes in Indo-China are not only ideological but materialistic, with a wealth of raw materials and the destiny of the governments of contiguous states hanging precariously in the balance. In Korea the conflict was confined to a mere fingertip of land on the extremity of a vast continent, but in Indo-China the struggle is not so geographically circumscribed.

There are many points of difference between the problems in Korea and Indo-China, and each instance of contrast

serves only to emphasize the complexity and gravity of the Indo-China dilemma. It is developing into the most critical situation which has yet confronted the post-war world, and the stake of free nations in its solution is inescapably the concern of the United States, for, since Korea, no one suffers the illusion that the free world means anything else than predominantly the U.S.A. In one way or another this little war, this jungle war, this war across the world, will become our own—unless some miracle of diplomacy can be contrived to contain it where it is.

Under the circumstances, there is a distressing need for the widest possible understanding among our people of the gravity of this problem. It is a problem which cannot cure itself, nor can it be solved by ourselves or others so long as inertia and confusion exist with respect to it. The Administration has the immediate obligations to enlighten the people as to what policy should be pursued, and to

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### **Our war across the world: The magpies at home are less important than the vultures abroad.**

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develop a bi-partisan support of such policy in Congress; despite all the good efforts expended thus far on this serious problem, neither of these elementary obligations has yet been fulfilled. And there is an obligation on Capitol Hill, too—an obligation of statesmanship, that indestructible element of leadership which presumably has survived even the enervating trivia of recent experience.

There is little disposition among responsible leaders in Washington to allow Indo-China to become another Korea, in the sense of committing American land troops in large numbers to the conflict, if only because we have no nearby bases, as we had in Korea, from which to keep them supplied. The direction in which our diplomacy is taking us is toward the formation of an alliance of nations in Southeast Asia, bulwarked by the support of the western world, designed to contain the Communist aggression within Indo-China, even if Indo-China itself should be lost. But whatever course we follow, that course must be made to succeed. For out of the night of this little war, far across the world, could come the black dawn of a fearful future for the free world, a dawn coming up like thunder out of China across the bay.



# State Fair Musicals Aid Dallas Nationally

JACK BENNY



SHEILA BOND



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GALE STORM



By Charles R. Meeker, Jr.

**D**URING the past year, the State Fair Musicals have been the subject of feature articles in such leading national publications as *This Week Magazine*, *Theatre Arts*, *People Today*, *Movies*, *Motion Picture*, *Photoplay*, *Modern Screen* and leading syndicated columns. And the musicals are constantly receiving requests for information from leading newspapers which we have considered far out of our territory.

Our boxoffice records show that mail orders for the 1953 season were received from 23 states and 491 different cities. And that out of the 235,000 people who attended the 12-week season last year, more than 40 per cent were from out of the city.

These facts are both gratifying and frightening to the musicals. For while they show that the quality of the productions have paid off in national prestige for Dallas as well as dollars from out-of-town visitors, they indicate that perhaps the rest of the nation is more interested in the State Fair Musicals than the people of Dallas for whom primarily they are produced.

Perhaps the growth of the musicals has been too steady to have created the excitement necessary to a great swell of civic pride. During the past 13 years they have evolved from an old-fashion operetta operation with adequate road-show casts to the most important theatrical movement outside of New York. Such stars as Jose Ferrer, Jack Carson, Joan Bennett, Debbie Reynolds and Arlene Dahl—not counting this year's stars—would not have risked making their musical comedy debuts in Dallas had they not been assured of national attention and, more important, a production of top Broadway calibre.

Yet, while the nation watches Dallas and the State Fair Musicals, for some inexplicable reason, Dallas seems to be

blissfully unaware of what takes place in its own great theater, the State Fair Auditorium. It is a frequent occurrence, rather than an exception, when actors riding to the auditorium are asked by cab drivers what is going on out there. Hotel restaurant and even department store employees seem to be unable to give out-of-town visitors the simplest information about the musicals. We spend money placing ads in the newspapers and other local publications and the editorial pages give us their support, but so far we haven't reached the hearts and minds of the people who are so fiercely civic-minded in most things pertaining to Dallas.

The State Fair Musicals belong to Dallas. Perhaps the phrase "non-profit" is too cold and impersonal to put across this truth but the fact remains that out of the \$450,000 spent to produce the finest summer theatrical season possible, not one cent profits anyone but the citizens of Dallas. Any profit is put back into improving the quality of the musicals and any deficit is born by the State Fair Musicals, Inc. The musicals have never solicited funds and they never will. But as their spokesman, we are soliciting the moral support of every Dallastite.

Comparisons are never too good, but I would like briefly to outline what a visit to St. Louis is like during their summer opera season. About one hour before performance time, suddenly all streets leading to Forest Park, home of the St. Louis Municipal Opera, become one way to speed the crowds to the performance. Diners in all restaurants and hotels are asked if they are going to the performance and their service is speeded up to get them to the park on time. In short, the entire town is "geared" to the musicals.

We do not expect the traffic department suddenly to pinpoint the State Fair Auditorium with one-way streets. These things



**SET DESIGNER** Peter Wolf marks his eighth season with State Fair Musicals this year. All sets illustrated are his design.

in St. Louis have grown with 36 years. But we feel that there must be some way to make Dallas more aware of its great commercial and artistic attraction. And as in all things, the best first step is at the top—with the men who guide the business lives of the thousands of salaried workers in Dallas.

Most organizations, consciously or unconsciously reflect the personality of the men who lead them. And if these men are fired with enthusiasm for the value of the State Fair Musicals, this enthusiasm will spread to every employee.

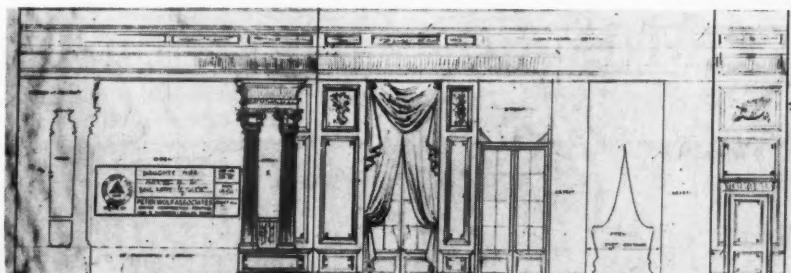
The musicals earnestly solicit the support that assures their continued greatness.



**LAKE SCENE**, above, helps set the stage for "Wish You Were Here" action.



**ON THE TOWN** will be "Hazel Flagg" as backdrop sketch above shows. The ballroom pieces below are stage make-up for "Naughty Marietta."



**SET TO MAKE A SPLASH** includes a real 20 by 8-foot swimming pool for the State Fair's second musical.





"WONDERFUL TOWN" will star John Tyers with Imogene Coca.

## Musicals Offer Season's Ticket Packet



**M**AY 24 marked the opening of the State Fair Musicals season ticket sale for new patrons. Also on that day almost 400 singers auditioned for the 1954 singing ensembles.

Season tickets may be ordered by mail or selected at the downtown box-office, 1315 Elm. Not only do the new season ticket patrons receive the special discount of all six shows for the price of five, they automatically are put on the priority list for all subsequent State Fair Auditorium attractions. The priority shows for 1954 include "The King and I" during the October State Fair and the Marge and Gower Champion Cotton Bowl Week Show.

Renewals from 1953 season ticket holders are up 10 per cent because of the increased number of tickets ordered.

**STARRING** in four of the season's six musicals are, left above, Richard Allan of "Wish You Were Here" and Pat Crowley of "Hazel Flagg," and below, Vivian Blaine, "Panama Hattie," and Jim Hawthorne, "Naughty Marietta."

# From Benny to Marietta, Musicals Offer Variety.

THIRTEEN years ago the State Fair of Texas first offered Dallas and its Southwest neighbors a season of summer entertainment known as the Starlight Operettas. From the Starlight Operettas the summer season has progressed to the State Fair Musicals, a summer season that equals Broadway in calibre, scope and stars.

To assure the thirteenth season the "luck" that traditionally is its due, managing director Charles R. Meeker, Jr., has assembled six hit productions, each cast with top Hollywood, television and Broadway stars.

The inimitable Jack Benny will open the season June 14 with his own revue. The all-time great comedian has surrounded himself with such talent as Sammy Davis, Jr., and the Will Mastin Trio, songstress Gisele MacKenzie, who is seen and heard each week on "The Hit Parade," the Stuart Morgan Dancers and others.

On June 28, "Wish You Were Here," one of Broadway's latest and most conversational hits, will open. Boasting a real 20 by 8 foot swimming pool, "Wish You Were Here" brings to Dallas radio and television's star of "My Little Margie," Gale Storm. As the romantic lead will be Richard Allan, singing and dancing star from Twentieth Century Fox. From the original Broadway cast will be Sheila Bond, Sidney Armus and Sammy Smith. William Thourlby, son of the famous athlete Jim Thorpe, will also be in the cast.

Three motion picture stars will head the cast of "Hazel Flagg" when it opens July 12. They are the two veteran actors Don Ameche and William Frawley and a new find, Pat Crowley. Pat has been starred in such recent hits as "Forever Female," "Red Garters" and the Martin and Lewis movie "Money From Home."

Patrice Munsel will take the title role of "Naughty Marietta" for the season's fourth production, July 26. The favorite operetta will have such former Dallas favorites as Jim Hawthorne, Howard Morris, Paul Ukena and Ralph Bunker, all having appeared in previous musicals.

"Panama Hattie" also returns three favorites in starring roles. These are Vivian Blaine, Buddy Ebsen and Arthur Treacher.

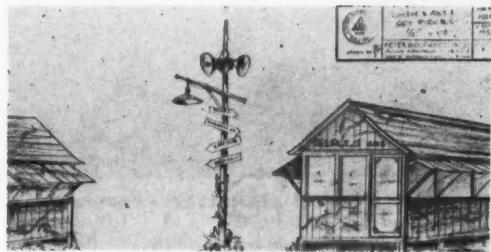
The last and perhaps the most exciting show of the season will be "Wonderful Town" which will open August 23. The musical's presentation will mark the first time that a summer season has presented a show concurrently with its Broadway run. In the leading role will be the one and only Imogene Coca.

The staging again will be under the direction of George Schaefer. Franz Allers will return as musical director and for the eighth season, sets will be by Peter Wolf. New to the production staff will be choreographer Edmund Balin.

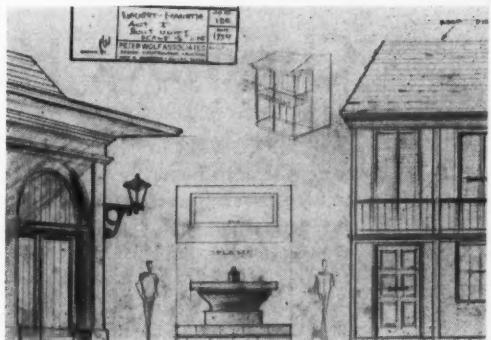
EARLY AMERICAN BACKDROP depicts New Orleans for Victor Herbert's "Naughty Marietta."



PORTAL for *Panama Hattie's* riotous adventures.



CAMP KAREFREE set pieces for "Wish You Were Here" contrast sharply with formal "Naughty Marietta" stage units, below.





**ASSOCIATION LEADERS** Karl Hoblitzelle, left, and Jerome Crossman, right, talk with Reverend E. C. Estell and R. A. Hester, insurance man.



**THE ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT** shows Director Fred Florence the location of a proposed shopping center.

## Families Now Occupying Chamber Housing Units

CROWDS of Negro and white citizens swarmed over the Hamilton Park housing development this month to hear the dedication ceremonies and inspect homes already completed and sold.

Fifty of 600 homes planned for the park were completed by dedication time and families listened to Dallas civic leaders speak hopefully of more homes in the future, then moved their belongings into the comfortable two and three-bedroom houses.

The 173-acre tract located on Forest

Lane, just east of Central Expressway, is the culmination of three years of labor on the part of the Dallas Citizens' Interracial Association, headed by Dallas Chamber President Jerome K. Crossman.

Land was purchased of funds advanced by the Hoblitzelle Foundation. The Interracial Association was formed after dual committees were named by the Dallas Citizens Council in May, 1950.

The two committees reported the needs of the city for a new development where Negroes could buy homes at a reasonable

figure. They recommended the organization of the Dallas Citizens' Interracial Association.

Mr. Crossman was elected president of the new group and John E. Mitchell, Jr., and R. L. Thornton, Sr., were named vice presidents. The group also elected Louis Tobian, secretary; Ben H. Wooten, treasurer, and M. J. Norrell, executive secretary.

Directors named by the group included Nathan Adams, Waller C. Boedeker, Fred F. Florence, S. J. Hay, John T. Higginbotham, Sam W. Hudson, Jr., J. L. Latimer, Stanley Marcus, John W. Rice, R. D. Sudarth, Mr. Crossman, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Thornton, Mr. Tobian and Mr. Wooten.

The association recommended five developments in the drive for proper housing for Negroes. One of the recommendations was for an area such as Hamilton Park. All the recommendations now have been completed or are in the development stages.

Homes in Hamilton Park sell for \$7,750 (two bedrooms) and \$8,950 (three bedrooms). A shopping center, schools, park and various churches are planned for the future.

The subdivision is being developed according to municipal standards with paved

**EXECUTIVE SECRETARY** M. J. Norrell conducts a tour of the new homes in Hamilton Park. Here Mr. Norrell points out a kitchen.



**INSURANCE MAN** R. A. Hester notes a "sold" sign with Mayor R. L. Thornton and Former Mayor J. B. Adoue.





THE CROWD BEGAN to form early for dedication services at the new Hamilton Park Addition on Forest Lane near Central Expressway.

streets, water and sewer services and all utilities.

Monthly payments on the homes range from \$45 to \$50 per month following a down payment of \$650 to \$900. Down payments are to be reduced shortly to allow more families to participate.

Families formerly situated in the area south of Love Field now being evacuated to allow for airport expansion are being given first priority to buy in the new area.

Work has begun on 60 more houses at the project. At the time of dedication, 70 per cent of the new houses had been sold without any concentrated effort, Mr. Crossman announced.

In dedication services Mr. Crossman presided.

Mayor R. L. Thornton called the dedication of the park "the dawn of a new day in Dallas."

"A well-balanced city is one which serves all its people—whether in the downtown section with its big projects, in the

suburbs or in projects of this kind," the Mayor said.

Former Mayor J. B. Adoue, Jr., praised "men like Jerome Crossman and Karl Hoblitzelle who had this wonderful thought."

The former mayor and president of the National Bank of Commerce said the best part of the project was that it is not a charitable institution.

"Here people pay their own way and buy their property like anyone else. The Lord helps those who help themselves," Mr. Adoue said.

Dr. L. G. Pinkston, Negro physician, delivered the invocation at the ceremony. Dr. Pinkston praised the members of the committee who "have planned so well and worked so diligently in bringing the open-

ing to fruition to serve a segment of Dallas citizens in family home life."

Karl Hoblitzelle said he hoped these hundreds of homes will be only the beginning.

"I want to see thousands of new homes like this," Mr. Hoblitzelle said.

Fred F. Florence, another director of the association, said homeowners are better citizens.

"And," said Mr. Florence, "homeowners, as taxpayers, take more interest in their government—and more interest means better government."

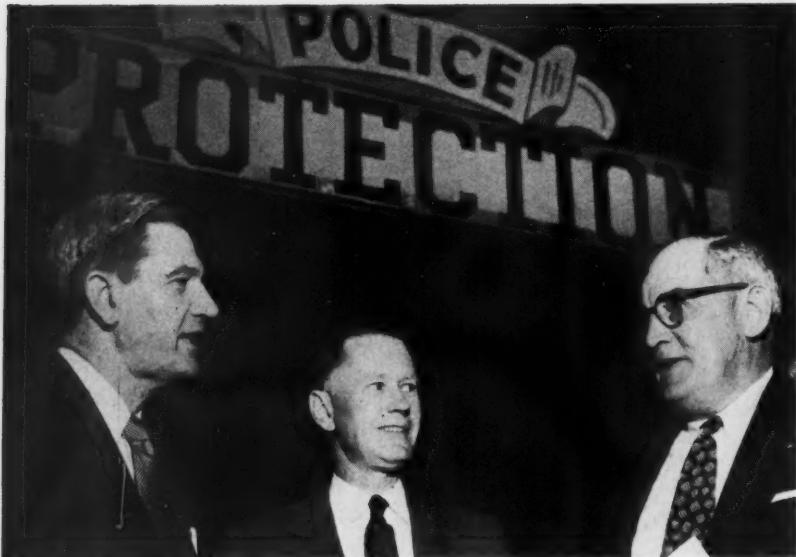
R. A. Hester, Negro insurance man and grand chancellor for the Texas jurisdiction of Knights of Pythias, noted that the completed homes were of modest price, yet of magnificent appointments.

HOUSTON PRUITT and his wife get an assist in hanging curtains from a niece, Phillipa Sunday, in the Pruitt's new home.

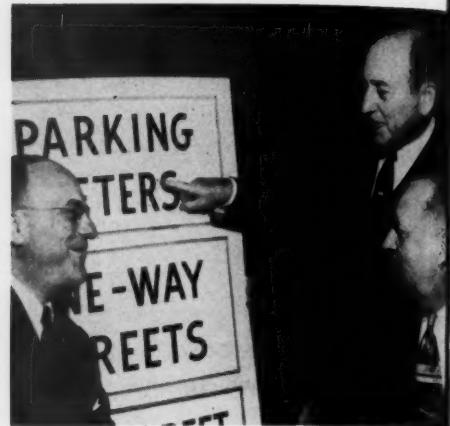


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**THREE PRINCIPALS** in the Citizens' Traffic Commission annual meeting were C. A. Tatum, chairman of the highway committee of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce; DeWitt C. Greer, state highway engineer, and L. H. Ridout, Jr., chairman of the Citizens' Traffic Commission.



**THE PRESIDENTS** of the three civic organizations were seated at the head table. Left to right are Jerome K. Crossman of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, J. Woodall Rodgers of the Greater Dallas Planning Council and J. L. Latimer of the Dallas Citizens Council.

## Dallas Citizens Honor Law Enforcement Team

CITY and County law enforcement officers gathered in April for the eighth annual awards banquet of the Dallas Citizens Traffic Commission in the Baker Hotel's Crystal Ballroom and heard DeWitt C. Greer, state highway engineer, call for more expressways to handle increased vehicle traffic.

Mr. Greer noted that Central Expressway, running north and south, soon would be completed throughout the county and added that all efforts should be applied to completing the East-West controlled access highway.

"We must apply all our efforts to the accomplishment of the U. S. Highway 67 Expressway across Dallas from the Buckner Orphans Home area to the Wynnewood area," Mr. Greer emphasized.

The engineer furnished figures showing that an expressway actually costs little,

**THE GRAND BALLROOM** of the Baker Hotel was the scene of the meeting.



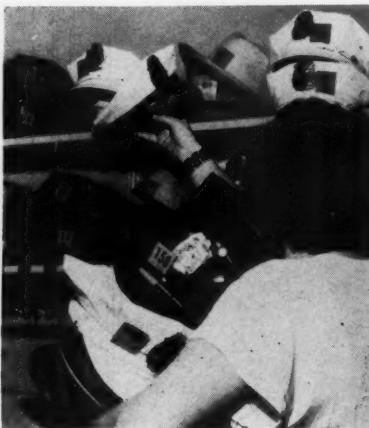
if any, more per vehicle mile than an ordinary trunk highway.

He also lauded the work of city and county officers in their handling of traffic under present conditions.

More than a score of awards and medals were handed out at the big banquet honoring police officers and sheriff's deputies.

Citizens Traffic Commission awards went to James E. Bramhall, E. E. Carlson and Griffith R. Cathey in the service division of the police department.

**POLICEMEN'S HATS** by the score filled the check room.



In the traffic division, Jack Revill, R. H. Winters and W. A. Bolton, were in one, two, three order. M. H. Brumley, Leroy Trice and W. F. Dyson won radio patrol honors and Detectives H. H. Stidham, J. C. Slovak and T. P. Wells were winners in the criminal investigation division.

Sheriff's Deputies Charles Harris, H. E. McHugh and J. H. Parks took honors in the county.

Awards were for \$100, \$75 and \$50 respectively for the first three positions in each group. In addition, watches were presented to the wives of each winner and each first place officer. The watches were furnished by Sanger Bros., Texas Wholesale Jewelry Company, Linz Bros. and Arthur G. Everts Company.

Other officers honored were Capt. John Daniel, Officers H. L. Dawson, M. L. Morgan, J. H. Dorris, Charles H. Cavender, Edward Johnson, Don E. McElroy, R. H. Huber and B. C. Garrison.

**AWARDS CHAIRMAN** Tom McHale shows the largest trophy to Police Chief Carl Hansson and Sheriff Bill Decker.



# Air Conditioners Set National Standards

JUST thirty years ago, the first air conditioning installation in Dallas set in motion a series of events that has made the city one of the most completely air-conditioned cities in the nation and one of the most important centers for a new industry.

In 1924 the Palace Theater became the sixth motion picture house in the country that could boast about the comfort of an air-conditioned movie.

A year later, Titche-Goettinger Company found out that low temperature as well as low prices could be a potent force in luring customers.

Today, as one of the nation's most important distribution points for air conditioning, Dallas is pioneering another development in standardizing sales practices. The Dallas air conditioner industry, in cooperation with the Dallas Better Business Bureau, set a national pace in April with the development and adoption of standards for advertising and selling room air conditioners.

The home air conditioning industry in Dallas recognized the necessity of taking steps to stabilize the advertising of the industry's products on a basis of accuracy and dependability.

A committee of the Dallas Better Business Bureau representing the city's air conditioner retailers and composed of Jack Blackburn, Hart Furniture Company, as chairman; K. E. Herrmann, W. A. Green Company; Bud Achternacht, Titche-Goettinger Company; Gene Chartkoff, Sanger Brothers, and L. E. Pietzker, Southern Company, met with Better Business representatives and drafted voluntary rules governing the advertising and selling of home air conditioning equipment.

These rules were subsequently submitted to a meeting of air conditioner distributors attended by some 20 of the city's principal appliance distributors and factory representatives. This group, as aware as the retailers of the necessity of restoring integrity and dependability to the advertising of the industry products, considered the standards proposed by the retail committee and, with a few changes, approved them and suggested that they then go back to the retail committee for further action.

At this meeting, a committee composed of J. J. Shea of Lone Star Wholesalers as chairman, W. C. Jones of the Medaris Company, Howard Lard of Carrier-Bock Corporation, and Glenn Manning of Mar-



**THE DALLAS ADVERTISING LEAGUE** commended the Dallas air conditioner industry this month in recognition of the establishment, with the Better Business Bureau, of the product's first advertising standards in the nation. William S. Henson, right, past president of Ad League and a director of the Better Business Bureau, introduces committee members, left to right, Jack Blackburn, L. E. Pietzker, W. C. Jones, Howard Lard and Bud Achternacht.

lin Associates was appointed and authorized to institute an advertising program designed to acquaint the public with the important factors to be considered in the purchase of home air conditioning equipment which would build greater public confidence in and acceptance of the industry's products and further assist in the elimination of abusive and confidence destroying practices.

The retail committee approved the revised standards and authorized their submission to the entire industry in the city. Subsequent adoption was announced last month.

As reported in a front page story in *Retailing Daily*, national home furnishings newspaper, one of the misrepresentations in advertising which the standards seek to eliminate is the use of the terms "1 ton," "3/4 ton" and "1/2 ton" to designate cooling capacities and the advertising of brand name units "nailed to the floor" for baiting purposes. Manufacturers have generally indicated the sizes of their units in printed material supplied to dealers in terms of horsepower rating of the units' compressors. Dealers have generally converted such horsepower terms into tons to the point that the public has been educated on the basis of a misnomer, according to the Better Business Bureau.

The standards adopted by the Dallas dealers and distributors point out that the size of a room air conditioner can be in-

dicated only by the horsepower rating of the compressor and the cooling capacity only by British thermal units. But because different manufacturers have used different yardsticks of measurement, different brands of room air conditioners of the same size, as size has been indicated, produce varying cooling capacities. Until a uniform standard is adopted by the manufacturing industry nationally, the terms "ton" and fractions thereof have no meaning. Therefore, they should not be used.

Other misrepresentations found by the Better Business survey of the advertising and selling practices in Dallas preceding action by the committees: Claims of fictitious values for the units; the use of deceptive layouts which suggested that the low quoted prices applied to higher priced units; advertising of prices of models of past years without indicating that they were not current models; quoting well-known brand name items which were not available to customers who responded to the ads.

Both dealer and distributor groups have pledged the full support and cooperation of the industry in Dallas to the BBB in carrying out the program, thus putting Dallas in the position of being first in the nation to take constructive and positive action to safeguard the best interests of the public and to assure the fullest development of a comparatively new industry.



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**UNITED AIRLINES PRESIDENT** W. A. Patterson, center, visited with Angus Wynne, Jr., chairman of the aviation committee of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, and W. C. Miller, chairman of the City Council's aviation committee.

## United Air Lines Wants Right To Re-Enter City

UNITED Air Lines, which served Dallas in the early days of air transportation, is determined to win the right to re-enter the nation's No. 1 air traffic-generating community, according to the line's president.

W. A. Patterson, president of United, outlined his company's hopes regarding service to Dallas during a visit here last month. Mr. Patterson's visit in Dallas was in connection with the inspection trip of the board of directors of the Insurance Company of North America, of which he is a member. During his stay here, Mr. Patterson celebrated his twenty-fifth anniversary with United and took time out from the busy schedule of the Insurance Company of North America directors to discuss Dallas' aviation development program.

Angus G. Wynne, Jr., chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Aviation Committee; Ben Wooten and Harold Volk, members of the Committee's executive committee; W. C. Miller, chairman of the Dallas City Council's Aviation Committee, and other leaders met with Mr. Patterson.

United is one of six airlines which have applied for new routes and route extensions which would provide competitive air services between Dallas and the Northeast. These applications have been consolidated with carriers' applications for route certificates affecting various other Southwestern cities, and will be considered by the Civil Aeronautics Board in the Additional Southwest-Northeast Service Case, the examiner's hearing which is scheduled to begin July 7. Some of the applications have been on file with the C.A.B. more than six years.

Mr. Patterson recalled that United was one of the pioneer airlines serving Dallas, but lost its market here when the air mail contracts were cancelled in the early days of the Roosevelt administration.

"We certainly want to get back into Dallas," he added. "We have watched Dallas' growth, and know that you generate more air traffic per capita than any other city in the United States."

He emphasized that in seeking authority to serve Dallas, "all United is asking for is the chance for equal competition."



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**1953 HEADLINER** Ben Wooten presents 1954 Headliner Jerome K. Crossman a plaque giving the Press Club's annual honor.



**CHIEFS NAYLOR and Hansson** and Sheriff Decker get the treatment.

cooperation with the press.

The Press Club, after lengthy and careful consideration, decided Mr. Crossman qualified so outstandingly that he was marked for this year's recognition.

Being president of the Chamber was a big factor in his selection, the Press Club Committee said. Another was the part he has taken in Dallas interracial affairs. As president of the Dallas Citizens' Interracial Association, he played a major role in sponsoring Hamilton Park, a housing development for Negroes north of Dallas.

In addition, he is active in some 27 other civic and humanitarian groups.

Mr. Crossman finds time for his community notwithstanding that he is a busy attorney and corporation executive. He is president of Lyon-Gray Lumber Company of Texas, president of Ryan Consolidated Petroleum Corporation and board chairman of Eppler, Guerin & Turner, an investment banking firm.

A Dallas resident since 1909, Mr. Crossman lives at 4800 Park Lane.

## Chamber President Named Press 'Headliner of 1954'

By Bruce Henderson

ONE night last month Jerome K. Crossman, a man of social conscience and energy to match, strode into McFarlin Auditorium to watch the Press Club of Dallas' annual Gridiron Show.

Before it was over, Mr. Crossman found himself on the stage spotlighted in the only solemn event of the evening. The Press Club announced between acts it had picked the 58-year-old president of the

Dallas Chamber of Commerce to receive its 1954 Headliner of the Year Award.

The shiny plaque was presented Mr. Crossman by a former Chamber president, Ben H. Wooten. Mr. Wooten himself was the 1952 Headliner of the Year.

In a city like Dallas, full of men with community zeal, picking the Headliner is a tough job. The award is based on news made the past year, civic leadership and

**MUSICAL GIBES** at Governor Allan Shivers came from a bevy of "school teachers."



**PRESS CLUB MEMBERS** also panned prominent persons on the national scene. Here Lee Bond depicts President Eisenhower singing a revised version of "Tea for Two."





**PATSY HARPER** gives Fort Worth's airport a sultry-voiced riding.

Because the name of the Headliner of the Year is secret until the presentation, he did not know of his honor until he was called to the stage.

Mr. Crossman was picked from 53 "headliners" invited to the show because of their news-making ability. They attended a pre-show dinner at Dallas Country Club.

The Gridiron Show has become a unique institution in Dallas. It consists of skit and song, written and played by Press Club members, which "roast" local, state and national figures. It's all in fun, of course. But behind it lies a serious purpose. Proceeds from the show help finance the Southwestern Journalism Forum, co-sponsored annually by the Press Club and Southern Methodist University.

During the forum, Dallas becomes a focal point of American journalism. Big names in the news-gathering field come to Dallas to give their views on the problems

**EVEN DUVAL** County came in for a touch of the press' sadism.



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**A JUNIOR-SIZE QUARTET** ribbed James K. Wilson, Jr., Leo Corrigan, Jr., Clint Murchison, Jr., and R. L. Thornton, Jr.

of the profession. Last year these included Clifton M. Utley of Chicago, noted National Broadcasting Company news commentator; Ralph McGill, crusading editor of the *Atlanta Constitution*; Richard H. Rovere, Washington correspondent for *The New Yorker* magazine. The forum also brought to Dallas some 250 visitors—newsmen, college and high school students and former S.M.U. students.

This year's fourth Gridiron Show was entitled, "Big D Confidential." It opened in the New York offices of *Crime* magazine, where the managing editor, played

by Al Cahn, assigns reporters Faye Loyd and Frank Chappell a story on "big, rich beautiful Dallas."

The pair get to Dallas by a rather devious route, including stops in Washington and Duval County.

Those lampooned in the Washington scene included President Eisenhower, Senator Joseph McCarthy, Sen. Price Daniel, Welfare Secretary Oveta Culp Hobby and Dallas Oilman H. L. Hunt.

Mr. Eisenhower, played by Lee Bond, was depicted as a statesman in no mood to let world problems interfere with golf.

**TWO REPORTERS** from afar sing their woes at coming to Dallas to make a financial killing.



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# Retail Merchants Elect George Pierce President

THE Dallas Retail Merchants Association elected George Pierce as 1954-55 president at the first meeting attended by its new directors.

The new officers include H. D. Turner of Dreyfuss & Son, vice president; L. F. Langston, Jr., of Volks, treasurer; and R. C. Dolbin, manager and executive secretary.

Mr. Pierce succeeds A. J. Biggio, Jr., of Nicholson Seed Store.

Mr. Pierce has served as president of many other professional and civic organizations, including the Texas Wholesale Hardware Association, the Dallas Manufacturers and Wholesalers Association and the Dallas Hardware and Implement Club.

A member of the executive committee of Southern Methodist University, he has headed the S.M.U. Sustentation Campaigns for the past two years. He has also served as chairman of the board of stewards of the Oak Lawn Methodist Church.

He has also served as president of the Dallas Rotary Club.

Mr. Pierce became president of Culum and Boren Company, sporting goods



GEORGE F. PIERCE

firm, in 1950. He joined the firm as a traveling salesman in 1915.

Besides the new officers, the board meeting was the first attended by the association's new directors. These include Myron Everts, Arthur A. Everts, jewelers; Dan T. Gabrysch, LaMode; Robert A. Ross, Neiman-Marcus; T. A. Tombrello, H. L. Green; Holmes Green, Jr., W. A. Green Company, and John T. Withers, III, Withers Sporting Goods.

**OUTGOING RETAIL MERCHANTS** President A. J. Biggio, Jr., introduced Trent Root, S. M. U. comptroller, who was principal speaker at the meeting.



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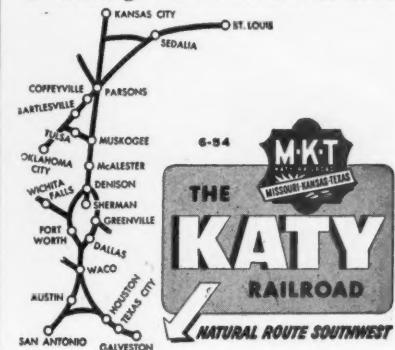
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# Citizens Give a Boost To Winning Dallas Club



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A GROUP of prominent Dallas citizens have formed a Citizen's Baseball Committee to spur interest in the Dixie League Champion Dallas Eagles.

The organization, headed by Hick Majors, is working to put the people of Dallas back in the ball park in support of the fine team which has captured the straightaway Texas League Championship two years in a row and is favored to repeat for an unprecedented third time.

The group was formed following a meeting of Mr. Majors, Ben Wooten, Jerome K. Crossman, president of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, W. O. Bankston, Lank Majors, and others.

Assisted by the Dallas Junior Chamber of Commerce, the committee is taking steps to arouse and renew interest in the nation's pastime among the Dallas citizenry.

Eagle Owner R. W. (Dick) Burnett has made available scrip books of \$11 in tickets for \$10. Initial sales are being concentrated in business establishments with a public sales planned for a later date.

Other members of the committee are J. L. Latimer, Edward Drake, Jaycees' president, J. Ben Critz, Dallas Chamber manager, Julius Schepps, former Eagle co-owner, D. J. Tucker, Gordon McLendon, Al Ingels, Jere Hayes, Bill Rives and Harold Ratliff.

The Dallas baseball club has been an outstanding civic asset for Dallas for 57 years, but though the team is fighting for the league leadership, gate receipts have slumped this year.

The team has gradually climbed to a position where it is the most feared club in the league since Dick Burnett took the reins in 1948.

Mr. Burnett bought the Eagles and the ball park, then set out to build a championship team for the city. Following three years of frustration, the team fought to third place in the league in 1951, then came the two championship years.

In 1952, the Dallas team was defeated in the first round of the playoffs, but the following year roared through all the way to the Dixie Series Championship.

**BUMPER STICKERS** boosting the Dallas Eagles are one of the means the Citizen's Baseball Committee is using to help the ball club. Hick Majors, center, chairman of the committee, hands a supply of the stickers to J. L. Latimer, right, as Al Ingels of the Dallas Junior Chamber of Commerce watches.



## Construction Begins On Shopping Center

Construction has begun on a new \$150,000 shopping center on the south side of Lake June Road in the Pleasant Grove area. The entire project will be air-conditioned and construction will be of masonry and brick. Fred Smitham, president of the Lake June Realty Company, announced.

Parking facilities for 75 vehicles will be provided with provisions made to expand the area to accomodate an additional 60 cars.

Charles Armstrong designed the center being built by S. R. Franck. The center includes two 50-foot front stores. Majors & Majors were leasing agents.

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**Branch Office Relocates.** The Dallas branch office of the Advance Pattern Company, Inc., has moved to new quarters at 1621 Manufacturing Street in the Trinity Industrial District. The local branch, managed by Blanche Sewell, serves Texas, six other states, South America and Puerto Rico. The building is owned by Paul Lewis. Horace Vail of Henry S. Miller Company, realtors, handled lease negotiations.



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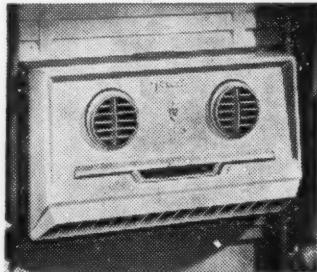
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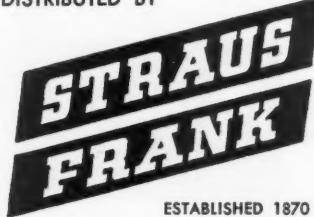


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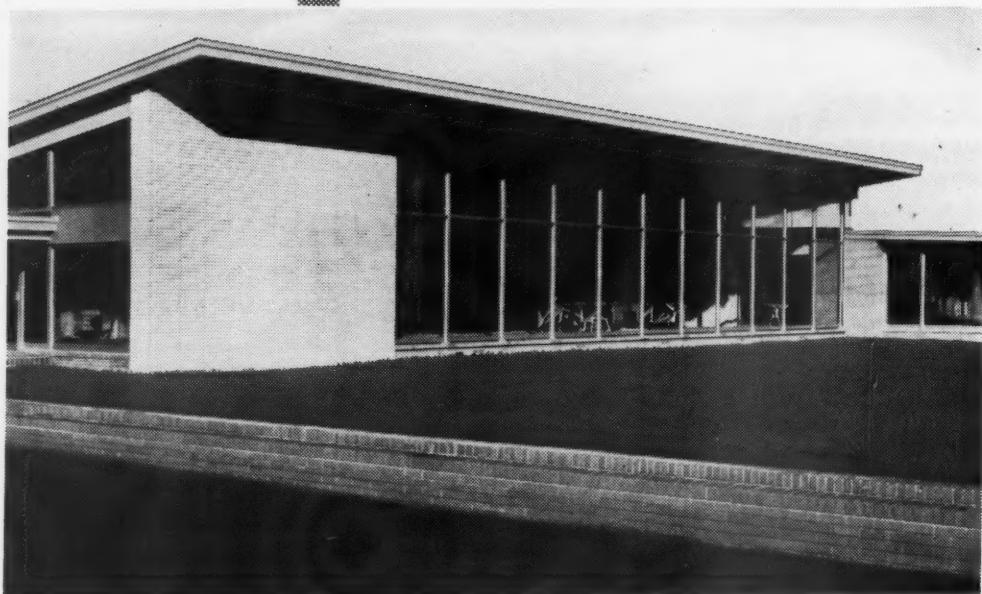


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### Potter Plans New Showroom Expansion on Central

The Potter Art Iron Studios will have new sales offices and showrooms fronting on Central Expressway, Owner Henry C. Potter has announced. The new building will give the firm 70-foot frontage on the expressway with a 40-foot section set at a 25 degree angle facing northbound traffic on the express-

way. Total cost of expansion is estimated at \$125,000. The 4,000-square-foot addition will have four levels in only two stories. The firm, one of three existent designer-manufacturers of metal products in the United States, plans to assemble the largest display in the Southwest. J. Allen Boyle, Dallas architect, designed the new addition.

SAM A. LEAKE, vice president of Skillern's Drug Stores, has been elected secretary-treasurer of the Southern Drug Association.

WALTER G. HARTLEY, JR., has been named a junior partner in his father's agency, Walter G. Hartley, Insurance, in the Thomas Building.

WALTER L. ARMISTEAD has been appointed project engineer for the Cold-temp Automobile Refrigeration Company, Inc., 1400 East Jefferson.

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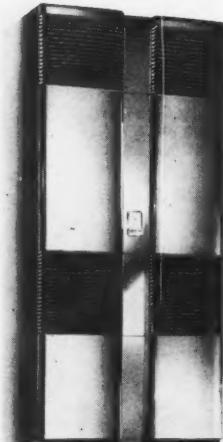
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### Heliport Planned for Hotel Statler Roof

The new Dallas Statler Hotel will have a heliport on its rooftop if the Dallas City Council renders its approval, Statler officials have announced. The large helicopter "touchdown pad" will be situated on the hotel's west wing. It will be the first hotel in the nation with a rooftop heliport, Arthur F. Douglas, president of Hotels Statler Company, said. He said landings have been made on the roofs of hotels on one or two occasions, and a few hotels, such as Fort Worth's Western Hills, have ground heliports. The touchdown pad will be 48 by 80 feet. The hotel is scheduled for opening in the fall of 1955.

### Dodge Reports Increase In Construction Awards

Texas' construction certainties for future months appeared brighter in April as construction contract awards climbed upward by 3 per cent over the first three months of 1953, the F. W. Dodge Corporation announced.

The first quarter 1954 figure in awards totaled \$277,061,000. Non-residential awards were \$83,537,000, or 4 per cent above the first quarter figures in 1953.

March showed an 18 per cent increase over February and 28 per cent increase over a year ago.

Non-residential awards in March, 1954, were \$29,157,000, 5 per cent below February but 41 per cent above March, 1953. Residential awards were \$49,714,000, up 13 per cent over February and up 7 per cent above March, 1953. Heavy engineering at \$24,755,000 was up 90 per cent over February and above March, 1953, by 81 per cent.

### Architects Selected For Love Field Terminal

Architects Thomas D. Broad and Donald Nelson have been selected to design the proposed new Love Field terminal building, City Manager Elgin Crull announced.

A contract for the \$2,000,000 building is being drawn up and will be submitted soon for City Council approval.

Work of Mr. Broad and Mr. Nelson will be co-ordinated with the studies being made by James C. Buckley, Inc., aviation consultants hired by the city.

The new terminal, to be constructed on the south end of the field, is expected to be under construction before the present City Council's term expires, May 1, 1955.

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**Inwood Widening Started.** Inwood Road is being widened to six lanes from Harry Hines Boulevard to Lemmon in a project to connect Northwest Dallas to Southwest Oak Cliff.

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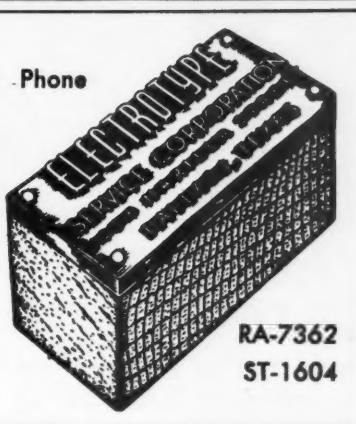
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# Chamber Board Elects New Members for May

DIRECTORS of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce elected more new firms into membership during the month of May than any month this year.

**Casa Linda State Bank**, 234 Casa Linda Plaza; Edward L. Vint, president.

**Consolidated Handbag Company**, 911 Commerce; Leo Fruhman.

**Display Industries, Inc.**, St. Paul and McKinney; S. E. Field, general manager.

**L. C. Eldridge Sales Company**, Interurban Building; L. C. Eldridge, owner.

**Employers Mutuals of Wausau**, 3200 Maple; C. E. Archibald, branch manager.

**Dr. Hanes M. Fowler**, 208 South Zangs.

**J & R Machine Works**, 537 Commerce; J. H. Johnson, partner.

**Kaymac Paper Company**, 1026 North Industrial; Sheldon A. Kaufman, president.

**Dr. Joseph B. Gordon**, 3707 Gaston.

**I. B. Kleinert Rubber Company**, 1210 Texas Bank Building; William A. Potbaum, manager.

**Luby's Inwood Village Cafeteria**, 5400

Inwood Plaza; M. O. Leggett, Jr., manager.

**Luby's Hillcrest Cafeteria**, 5407 Hillcrest; Bruce Holland, manager.

**Luby's Loma Alto Cafeteria**, 4144 Loma Alto; Kenneth Wright, manager.

**Maxwell House Division of General Foods**, 2935 Cedar Springs; R. J. Steets, comptroller.

**J. M. Newman**, 2328 North Henderson.

**Norris Engineering Company**, 1812 Ervy; E. R. Norris, president.

**C. L. Norsworthy, Jr.**, First National Bank Building.

**Pam's Advertising Agency**, 3006 Indiana; William Meeks, president.

**Texas Vocational Conference**, 3906 Lemmon; Bobbye Hughes.

**A. K. Wagner & Company**, 2307 Britton; A. K. Wagner, owner.

**Floyd C. Ramsey**, 5923 Lupton Drive.

**Acme Cooperage Company**, 1225 Belview; C. L. Sharp, manager.

**Bagby Service Station**, 1412 South Buckner; R. L. Bagby, owner.

**Saphin Television & Appliances, Inc.**, 1230 Dragon; Harold N. Saphin, vice president.

**Busboom & Rauh**, 6910 Forest Park Road; Paul A. Woods, manager.

**C & H Supply Company**, 1620 Manufacturing; H. J. Hemmer and John E. Collins.

**Casuals of Dallas, Inc.**, 901 Jackson; Julius Levine, president.

**Commerce Welding & Manufacturing Company**, 702 West Commerce; C. S. Hejkal, president.

**Dallas PBX Switchboard School**, 326 Commercial Building; Mrs. John E. Benton, owner.

**Dallas TB Association**, 3925 Maple; Dale Knotts, director.

**Hanley Company**, 604 Continental Building; E. Richard Barry, manager.

**Norval Engineering & Machine Works**, Route 7, Box 321A; B. A. Norvell, president.

**Dal-Worth Shippers Association**, 204 North Good; Barney Meltzer.

**McCord, Durant & Witts**, 519 Mercantile Bank Building; David C. McCord and David A. Witts.

**Flory of Dallas**, 3910 Buena Vista; M. J. Grogan, owner.

**Geochemical Surveys**, 3806 Cedar

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### Miss Dallas Pageant Scheduled May 30

The Dallas Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a Miss Dallas Pageant on the afternoon of May 30 at the State Fair Bandshell to select the city's entry in the Miss Texas finals leading to the national Miss America contest in Atlantic City. Above, Judge W. L. Sterrett and J. B. Adoue, Jr., former mayor of Dallas mark their judges cards for Miss Joyce Bentham and Miss Dorothy Canada. Other judges include Travis Wallace, vice president of the Great American Life Insurance Company; Mrs. Kathrine Dillard, woman's editor of the *Dallas News*; and Mrs. Jerry Johnson, mistress of ceremonies on "Variety Fair" over KRLD-TV.

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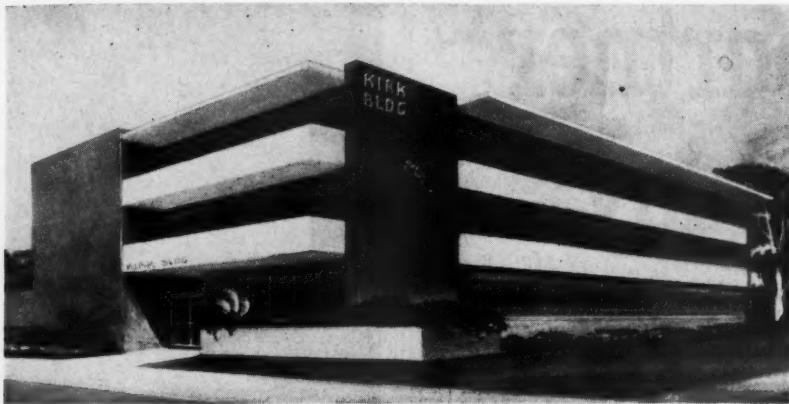
**Firm Buys Building.** The Wrather Petroleum Company has bought the Texas Textile Mills office building, Akard and McKinney, for a figure in excess of \$350,000. Jack Wrather, president, said his company would move its headquarters to the new location from the Mercantile Bank Building. Texas Textile Mills has moved its office headquarters to a new building at Bryan and Central Expressway. J. Curtis Sanford, Dallas realtor, announced the sale.

**Miramar Drive-In Opens.** The new Miramar Restaurant Drive-In, which features charcoal broiled hamburgers and chicken rotisserie, has opened at 1922 Fort Worth Avenue. Owners of the air-conditioned restaurant and drive-in are Ralph Paul, former owner of the Fireside Inn in New York City, and Chris Semos, who has assisted his father in the management of Semos' Restaurant for the past 10 years.

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### Construction Begins on Kirk Building

Construction began April 1 on the new \$350,000 Kirk Building at Central Expressway and Oliver. The building, which will house offices of the Kirk Dial Company, has been expanded from a one-story structure to three stories. Jansen Construction Company is building the structure designed by George Dahl & Associates. Aetna Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut, and the Standard Accident Insurance Company of Detroit, Michigan, will also maintain offices in the Kirk Building. Pete Hawk of Henry S. Miller Company is the exclusive leasing agent.

**Variety Jobber Moves.** Texas Wholesale Varieties has moved to a new building at 163 Howell in the Trinity Industrial District. The new location provides 7,200 square feet of floor space for the Dallas-based variety jobber. The cream-colored brick building has rail trackage, truck docks and air-conditioned offices. The building is owned by Al Strangi. Williams and Wagner Construction Company was the general contractor. Bill Campbell of the Moser Company, realtors, handled lease negotiations. J. C. Oliver is president of the company; Lloyd Phillips, general manager.

**Tile Company Moves.** The United Tile Company marked its third expansion move in seven years as it occupied a new building at 2920 Taylor. The modern fire-proof building contains 6,000 square feet of space, including air-conditioned offices. Truck docks and a railroad siding serve the new building. United Tile Company is the authorized contractor for the complete line of Armstrong Cork Company and Owens-Corning Fiberglas acoustical and sound control products. Bock Construction Company were the builders. Must-Bon Realty Company handled the lease.

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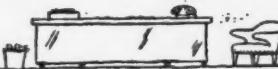
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John C. Hunt, Jr., vice president in charge of sales for Krafco Container Corporation, has been elected to the firm's board of directors. Mr. Hunt joined Krafco in 1949, was named sales manager in 1950, and sales director in 1951. He became vice president in 1952.

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The Zero Plate Company has announced the appointment of JIM BOOTH as sales manager for the firm which manufactures coil systems for frozen food storage equipment and beverage equipment.

\*

Former assistant merchandise manager for the accessory and cosmetics departments, LEWIS ANGELO, has been named merchandise manager for all footwear departments of A. Harris & Company.

\*

TERRY HUNT has been named manager of the newly-established Madison Sales Company, 2020 Main, which handles Formica furniture.

\*

A newly created post, training and visual aid specialist for U. S. Steel's Oil Well Supply Division, Dallas, has been filled by TOM K. CONE, Dallas commercial photographer for many years.

\*

A former air line shop foreman at Denver, Colorado, ROY G. FISHER, has been named superintendent of the engine shop at Dallas Aero Service.

\*

The Trinity Toastmasters Club has installed Dallas Architect DELBERT WESTFALL as president.



#### **Named Account Executive**

Burke Gilliam has been appointed an account executive for the DeJernett Advertising Agency. Mr. Gilliam was with a Tulsa, Oklahoma, advertising agency before joining the Dallas firm. He managed the Dallas branch office and was a vice president and director. He is a member of the Press Club of Dallas and the Dallas Advertising League.



#### **Elected Vice President**

John L. Marakas, a native of Connellsville, Pennsylvania, has been elected vice president of the Reserve Life Insurance Company. He joined Reserve Life in 1952 and was elected an assistant vice president in March, 1953. Before joining the Dallas company, Mr. Marakas held actuarial positions with insurance firms in Washington, D. C., and Chicago.

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The Sinkers Corporation, cottonseed processors of Kennett, Missouri, announce that WALLY SMITH is the new Texas representative for the company with headquarters in Dallas.

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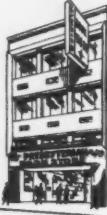
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**Hayes Brothers Open Photo Studio**

Durwood Hayes, left, and Johnny Hayes, press photographers in Dallas for a total of 35 years, have opened an all-purpose photographic studio at 2908 Live Oak. The late Denny Hayes, father of the partners in the new firm, managed the photographic department at the *Daily Times Herald* for 34 years before his death last year. Johnny Hayes took pictures for the *Times Herald* for 20 years and Durwood was with the company 15 years. The new studio will handle photographic work of all types, with emphasis on public relations, advertising and industrial assignments in and out of Dallas. Special equipment has been installed at the new laboratory to give a full range of color photography.

**Harold Weil Opens  
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The University Manor Addition, located immediately west of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad overpass on Northwest Highway, has been opened by Dallas realtor and developer, Harold G. Weil.

The new addition will be adjacent to a proposed city park and is near to shopping districts, schools and to Central Expressway.

Homes will be of brick veneer in the \$18,000 to \$25,000 bracket. These homes built on lots of 70-foot frontage must have not less than 1,250 square feet in floor space while larger frontage requires 1,400 square feet.

All utilities are being provided in the new subdivision and streets of concrete will be well-lighted, the developer said.

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**Commercial Artist Moves.** Clyde Shelley, Dallas commercial artist, has moved to offices in the Commercial Building. Mr. Shelley, who also does cartooning, was formerly located at 803 Texas Bank Building.

**Improvements Planned  
At Hensley Field**

Government spending plans for Hensley Field in Dallas now total \$1,689,098, it was disclosed after Air Force spokesmen announced plans to spend \$1,130,098 on improvements.

The Navy already had announced plans to spend \$539,000 in construction for the Naval Air Station.

The Air Force program calls for construction of a hangar at \$676,000, aircraft apron, \$199,080; supply and armament storage, \$142,800; paint, oil and dope, \$4,050; motor service shop, \$44,200, and engineer service, \$70,928.

The plans are part of a nation-wide \$160,000,000 program to support the Air National Guard program in the 12-month period beginning July 1.

The Navy program calls for \$400,000 to be spent on a 500-foot extension of the main runway at Hensley Field. This would increase the runway to 8,000 feet, extending about 2,000 feet into Mountain Creek Lake. The remaining \$139,000 would be spent for aircraft parking facilities.

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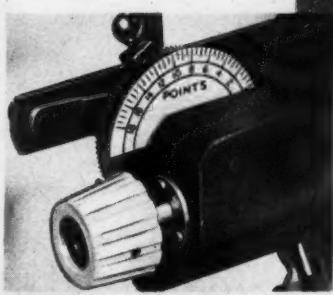
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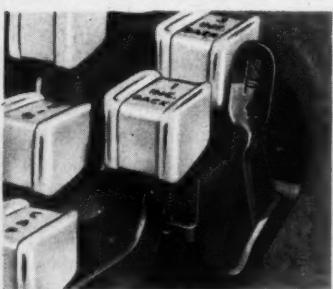
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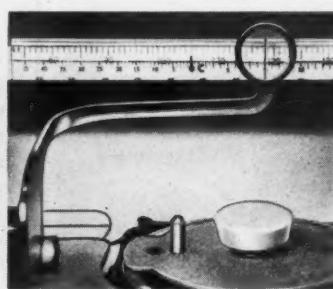
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**Heads Research Department**

J. R. Jones, assistant treasurer of Texas Employers' Insurance Association-Employers Casualty Company, has been named manager of a new department, the procedures research department. John Stuart, assistant treasurer, will head the accounting department in addition to the comptroller department and Gene Carl will assume duties as administrative services director over some functions previously included in the comptroller department. The new research department will assist all other departments in solving procedural problems.



**Advertising Supervisor**

Miss Betty Whitlock, former copywriter for the advertising, publicity and employe relations department of Southern Union Gas Company, has been promoted to supervisor of advertising and publicity for the company. In her new position, Miss Whitlock will supervise creation of the company's advertising for all media and preparation of publicity material. She was employed in advertising capacities in El Paso before joining Southern Union in March, 1953.



#### Joins Texas Distributors

Mardis Brasher, Navy veteran and graduate of Miami University of Ohio, has joined Texas Distributors, Inc., as head of the credit department. Mr. Brasher was associated with Citizens National Bank at Ennis, Texas, before joining the Dallas-based distributor for General Electric air conditioning and heating equipment.

\*

New Dallas sales representative for Conco Chemical Company, manufacturers of building maintenance chemical supplies, is BURL FULKERSON.

\*

Taylor-Norsworthy, Inc., Dallas advertising agency, has announced the addition of three executive staff members. MELVILLE M. MERCER was named copy chief, MISS MARIE CALLAHAN was appointed account executive, and JOHN YOUNG was placed in charge of library research.

\*

HAL C. DYER has been named national membership committee vice chairman and a member of the national endorsements committee of the Associated General Contractors of America, Inc. GEORGE P. O'ROURKE was named a member of the construction marketing committee and EDMUND G. PETERSON was appointed to the national accident prevention committee.

\*

F. A. PRATT has assumed active management of the Ahart Moving & Storage Company, Inc., of Dallas.

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The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York has named EUGENE de KIEFFER field representative.

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### **General Passenger Agent**

T. C. Connally, former division passenger agent for the Katy Railroad at San Antonio, has been appointed general passenger agent with headquarters in Dallas. Mr. Connally, a native of San Marcos, has been with Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad since 1924. He joined the San Antonio office following 13 years in Dallas as assistant city ticket agent, city ticket agent and city passenger agent.

\*

A Fort Worth insurance executive, N. BUSTER REYNOLDS, has joined Western States Life Insurance Company in Dallas as vice president in charge of ordinary and salary savings departments.

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With offices in the Mercantile Commerce Building, MRS. NAOMI BURNETT has been appointed an agent for North Texas for the Great-West Life Assurance Company.

\*

JOHN F. CARLSON, JR., has been named office manager for Delta Steel Buildings Company and Delta Metals, Inc., 4501 Harry Hines.

\*

The president of the American Savings & Loan Association, JOHN M. CHERRY, has been named to the accounting committee of the United States Savings and Loan League.

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GEORGIA SMEDAL CERN has joined the staff of Crook Advertising Agency as an account executive.

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The board of directors announced the election of JOHN E. RIKER to assistant cashier of the Texas Bank & Trust Company.

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#### Fair Sales Manager

Joseph B. Rucker, Jr., has been named manager of sales and special events for the State Fair of Texas. Mr. Rucker was in the real estate and building business before joining the State Fair. He is a 1937 Southern Methodist University graduate and a five-year veteran of the Navy during World War II. He will succeed David A. McMinn, who resigned to become managing director of the new Southland Center. Mr. McMinn will continue to head the special events department as director.



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#### Named Account Executive

Marvin D. Gwinn, former advertising assistant with an Amarillo oil company, has been appointed an account executive with Don L. Baxter, Inc., Dallas advertising agency. At Amarillo, Mr. Gwinn was president of the Society of Associated Industrial Editors.

\*

WILLIAM L. HORNER has been named manager of reservoir engineering operations and vice president of Core Laboratories, Inc., international petroleum service firm of Dallas.



### Forms New Agency

Russ Jurgens is vice president and general manager of the newly-formed McCarty Company of Texas, Inc., advertising agency. The McCarty personnel is being increased to serve clients in the Southwest and Mid-Continent as well as former clients of Russ Jurgens Advertising, which merged with the new firm.

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CHARLES F. PAYNE, general manager of radio stations KIXL and KIXL-FM, has been elected to the stations' board of directors.

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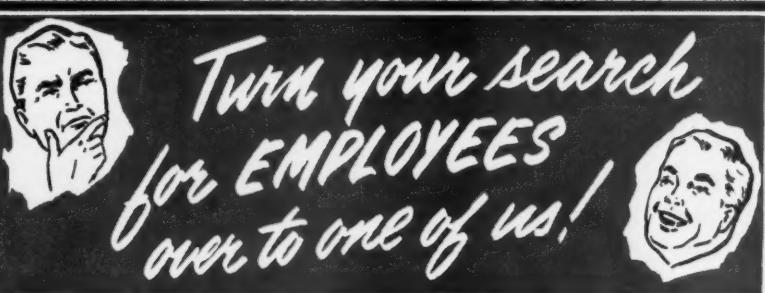
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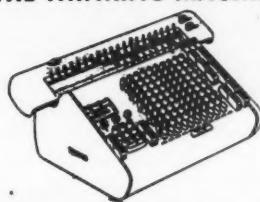
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# *Young Men Going Places*

## Warren Harding

By Robert Carl

"IT pays to shake hands whether you're in the furniture business, an insurance salesman or just a politician like myself," is the homespun philosophy of Dallas County's young treasurer, Warren G. Harding.

At 29, Warren was the youngest person in the county's history to be elected its treasurer.

Powerful in frame — 6' 1" and 215 pounds — Warren gets a big kick out of "just being with folks."

Since taking office in January, 1951, Warren has initiated many reforms as county treasurer including the inauguration of a more efficient accounting system, daily fund deposits, the use of armored truck service, a burglar alarm system and insurance on the money kept on hand. He also issues periodic financial reports.

His department played a big part in the current winning of the annual six-star award. This trophy is presented to the outstanding county government within the area by the East Texas Chamber of Commerce. Last fall Warren was further honored by being elected president of the County Treasurers Association of Texas.

Speaking of his office, he says, "I try to run it like a business." Proof that the people of Dallas are well satisfied was given when he was elected to a second term last year without opposition.

Born on a Collin County farm near Princeton, Texas, in 1921, Warren Glenn Harding was the youngest of six sons and one daughter.

"I've never been a rich man as far as money goes, but I think I can appreciate more from the simpler things in life than some folks do with artificial luxuries," Warren confides. His riches are the enjoyment of his family and friends.

Warren actually is a "politician's dream" — a kind of modern-day Abe Lincoln, even though he affirms he has no



WARREN HARDING

higher ambitions than serving in his present capacity. In addition to possessing a magic name (although no kin to the former U. S. president), he is a boy who came from the farm to the big city, and started out selling newspapers to help pay his way through school.

Warren received his early formal training at James Bowie grade school and Adamson High. He began college at North Texas State, and was president of Talon, a local social fraternity. He later left school, and joined the Dallas Fire Department. Today Warren praises firemen highly, especially since he realizes the risks they take at each fire. He, himself, had a narrow escape from a burning roof which fell at a three-alarm fire he was fighting.

During World War II, Warren served for three years as a first class petty officer. Afterward he signed up for pre-law training at Southern Methodist University. On campus he served his fraternity, Delta Chi, as secretary-treasurer. In 1947 he left S.M.U. to join his brother, Roy Harding, as a partner in the retail furniture business.

It wasn't too long, however, until he decided to continue the law degree pursuit so he sold his furniture interests and took a job as clerk of the 101st District Court.

As a family man, Warren soon discovered that working and going to school was a real challenge. Toward the end of

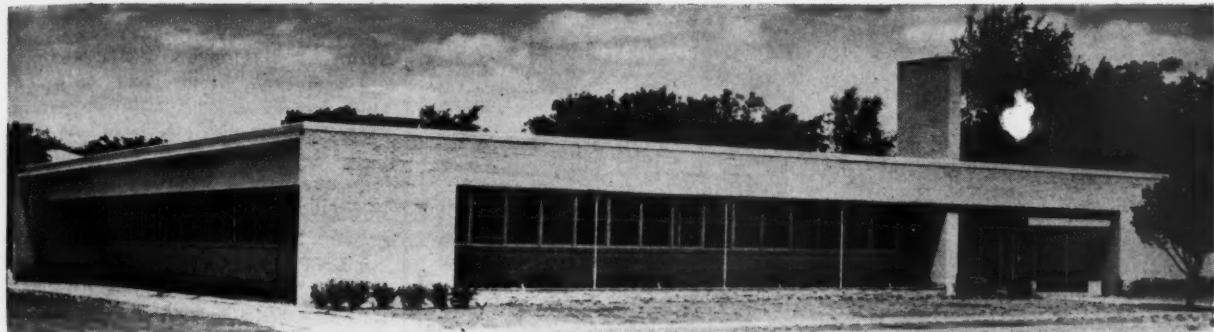
1950, as an opportunist he decided to run for county treasurer, "still too young and naive to ever suppose I might lose."

Warren served as superintendent of the young people's department at Davis Street Baptist before joining the Cliff Temple Baptist Church when he and his family moved to Oak Cliff.

He is a member of the Masonic lodge, and of the Hella Temple Shrine. He is a 32° Scottish Rite Mason and a past patron of the Order of the Eastern Star. He is a past secretary and now third vice president of the Dallas High Noon Club. Also, a member of the American Legion Post in Oak Cliff, the Dallas Agriculture Club, the Margaret B. Henderson Grade School Dad's Club and the S.M.U. Alumni Association.

Warren also serves as vice president of the Adamson High School Ex-Students Association, vice chairman of the Dallas Fire Prevention Council, and program chairman of the Oak Cliff Lions Club. He is a past president of the North Texas State College Alumni Association.

While a director of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, Warren's fire prevention committee work received a first place national award among all Jaycee clubs in the nation. He also received second place recognition for public health. In addition, he is credited with having received several Jaycee state awards.



### Hydrotex Opens New International Headquarters Building

Hydrotex Industries is moving to its new international headquarters office building at 4333 Central Expressway. The new Hydrotex building is a 11,000-square-foot structure. It will house about 100 employees, including the executive staff and personnel of the sales, advertising, accounting, contract and

purchasing departments. Hydrotex products are distributed throughout the United States and 27 foreign countries. Since the company was started, it has expanded its operations throughout the United States and into 27 foreign countries all over the world. All selling is done directly through thousands of Hydrotex field representatives.

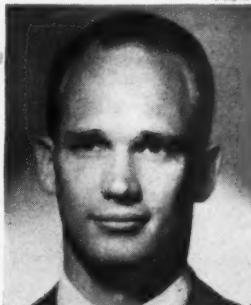
**Insurance Agencies Merge.** A new firm, the Lewis and Cawthon Insurance Agency, has been formed from separate agencies operated by the two principals, John R. Lewis and Frank W. Cawthon, Jr., both graduates of Southern Methodist University and five-year veterans in the insurance business. The firm's address is 5964 Northwest Highway.

**New Furniture Store.** The Smith Furniture Company has opened a new store to serve shoppers in Southeast Dallas at 4727 Second Avenue. The new location houses the largest one-floor furniture showroom in the city with 15,400 square feet of floor space in all. B. W. Carter, who managed the company's Urbandale Store, was named manager.

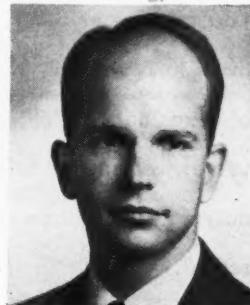
**Drug Outlet Opens.** A new store, the Big World Cut Rate Drugs, has opened at Buckner and Lake June in the Pleasant Grove Addition. The opening ties together Field's Cut Rate Drugs, 1300 Elm, and the Big World store, G. V. Coots and Joe O. Wilson, co-owners announced. Mr. Wilson will manage the new store and Mr. Coots will manage the downtown location.



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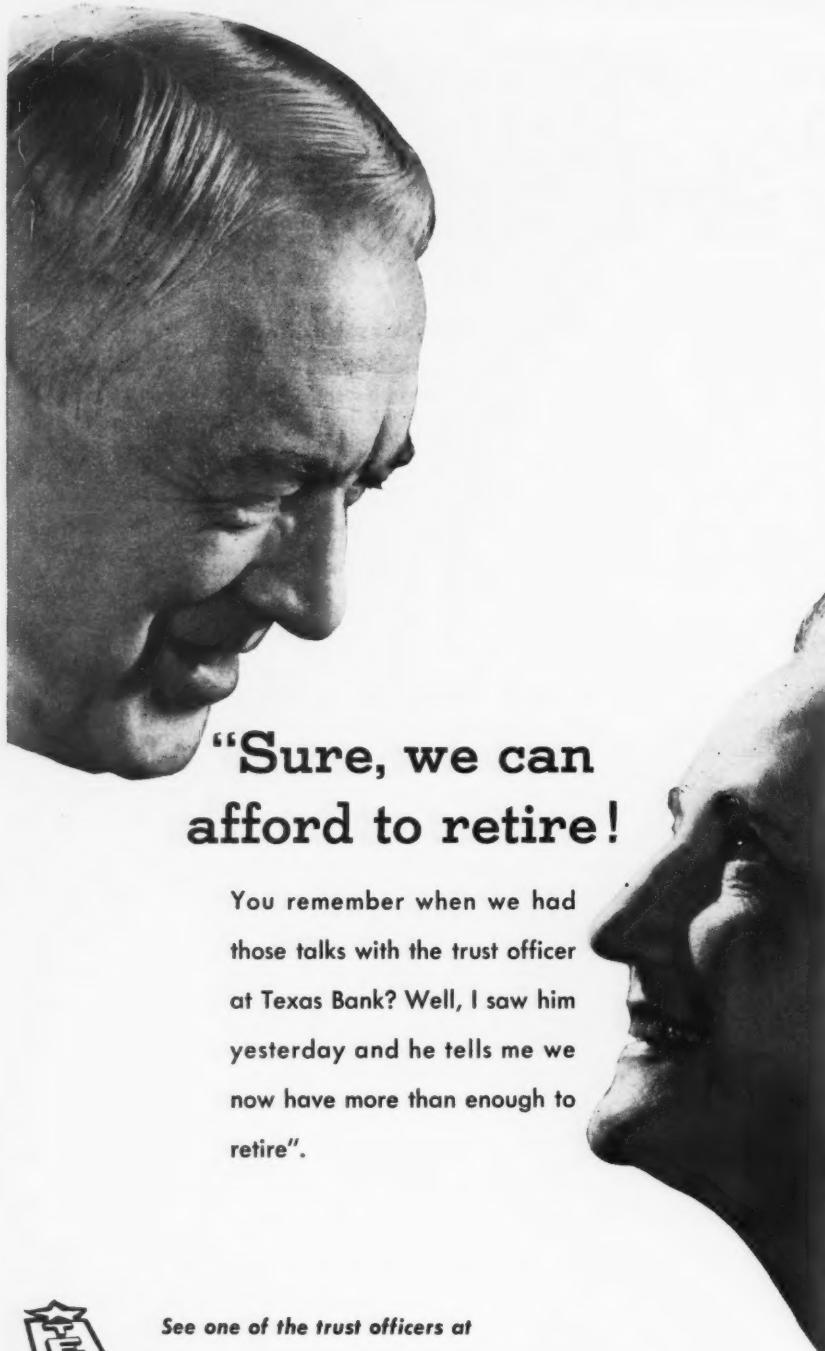
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**Lee Huckaby Motors**, 4521 Ross; Lee Huckaby, owner.

**Life Time Battery Company**, 2314 Daniels; Jack Helm, president.

**Parker Delivery Service**, Post Office Box 2397; J. G. Parker, owner.

**South Dallas Medical Clinic**, 1406 Forest; Dr. Perry E. Gross and Dr. Jacob H. Robbins.

**Southwestern Investors, Inc.**, Fidelity Union Life Building; Robert S. Cutherell, secretary.

**Standard Office Supply & Printing**, 4103 Elm; Charles Todd.

**Temco Cafeteria**, Post Office Box 6191; George Athens, owner.

**Tool Products Company**, 520 Park; R. D. Bertram, manager.

**Chemical Water Treating Company**, 4022 Worth; C. Earl Hays, president.

**Community Health & Welfare Service**, P. O. Box 5956; Mrs. Lucile W. Longhenry.

**Darr Equipment Company**, 1137 South Lamar; H. S. Darr, president.

**Frank Esden Company**, 2030 Irving Boulevard; F. V. Esden, owner.

**Felix Chapeaux**, 300 South Record; Felix A. Rosenfield, president.

**Gene Fields Service Station**, 3534 Greenville; Eugene E. Fields, owner.

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**Jondor Engineering & Manufacturing Company**, P. O. Box 768, Irving, Texas; John C. Haeppl, president.

**J. F. Matchett**, 4241 Avondale.

**Southern Nipple Manufacturing Company, Inc.**, 301 Pleasant, K. R. Farwell, president.

**Texas Mill Equipment Company**, 167 Payne; L. H. Limmer, manager.

**Towne Industrial Equipment, Inc.**, 1410 South Akard; F. T. Towne, president.

**Welders Supply, Inc.**, 430 South Industrial; C. M. Squibb and C. E. Squibb.

**Nelson & Edward Morris, Ltd.**, Life of America Building; A. M. Lloyd, manager.

**American-Associated Insurance Companies**, 700 Fidelity Union Life Building; Stoddart Smith.

**Coke H. Rhodes**, attorney, 1318 Gulf States Building.

**Dallas Radionics**, 3519 Mt. Washington; R. A. Huffines, owner.

**Dr. Bill Branch**, Medical Arts Building.

**Southwest Fonadek, Inc.**, 1202 Tower Petroleum Building; Jack W. Chapman, manager.

**Asel Art Supply**, 1643 Pacific; C. H. Asel, partner.

**Service Printing & Office Supply Com-**

pany, 424 West Jefferson; A. L. Brannon, owner.

**Sands Electric Company**, 1223 Second; T. C. Sands, president.

**News Publishers, Inc.**, 800 Interurban Building; S. T. Reed, manager.

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**Borden Biscuit Company**, P. O. Box 1428; Charles S. Becker, manager.

**Texas Home Loans, Inc.**, 109 North Field; Victor Frankfurt, president.

**Industrial Office Supply**, 1318 North Industrial; Lloyd W. Birdwell.

**Arrow Spice & Food**, 816 Montgomery; Marks Rosenberg.

**Modern Olds, Inc.**, 135 North Lancaster; C. A. Minor, president.

**Central Engineering & Supply Company**, 1925 Cedar Springs; H. N. Pierce, vice president.

**Sessions & Sessions**, attorneys, 810 Fidelity Building; Whitley R. Sessions.

**Gump & Gaynier Construction Company, Inc.**, 8418 Preston; Robert J. Gump and William M. Gaynier.

**C. Ray Martin**, Small Business Administration, 1114 Commerce.

**Earl K. Roemisch, Jr.**, 4417 Greenville. **Frisco Transportation Company**, 921 Wall; Walter M. Russell, traffic manager.

**Lyne Wendover & Blanchette**, 1030 Fidelity Union Life Building; Fritz Lyne, partner.

**Insurance Record Company**, P. O. Box 5770; John C. Leslie, owner.

**Clois W. Keyes**, P. O. Box 9651. **L. F. Sneed Company**, 721 South Austin; L. F. Sneed, owner.

**David E. Sleeper**, C.P.A., 610 Tower Petroleum Building.

**Inca Drilling Company**, 1001 Texas Bank Building; Charles S. Beck, president.

**Dillon Employment Service**, 915 Commerce; Frances R. Dillon, owner.

**Buford & Feinberg**, 326 Interurban Building; Fred Buford, partner.

**Terrell R. Harper**, architect; 710 Thomas Building.

**Dranguet, Foote & Company**, 1414 Mercantile Bank Building; Joseph Dranguet, Guy M. Foote and Raymond L. Gibbs.

**Comfort Products Company**, 1706 La-mesa; Alvin Haas, president.

**Rayco**, 4210 North Central Expressway; William Naxon, president.

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\*

The Frito Sales Company, Inc., of Dallas announced the election of three new directors and the appointment of an assistant treasurer. JACK JOHANNES, Miss MARY LIVINGSTON and JOHN R. McCARTY were named directors. W. LAMAR LOVVERN was named assistant treasurer.

\*

The president of Republic National Life Insurance Company, THEO P. BEASLEY, has been elected second vice president of the Accident and Health Underwriters Conference.

\*

GILBERT E. CARMICHAEL has been appointed regional field sales manager for the Southwest Edition of the *Wall Street Journal*.

\*

The board of directors of Geophysical Service, Inc., announced the appointment of E. O. VETTER to assistant vice president, administration.

\*

H. V. McCONKEY has been elected treasurer of the Southern Gas Association and R. R. SUTTLE, managing director. Dallas was selected for the organization's 1956 convention.

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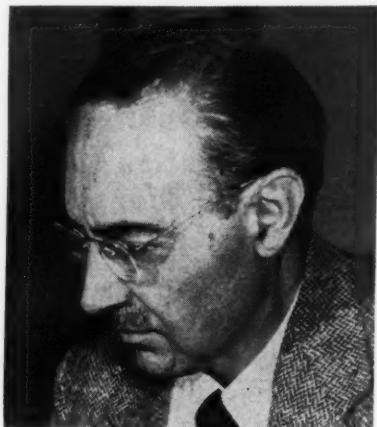
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#### Elected Artists Chairman

Paul A. Lay has been elected chairman of the Advertising Artists Association of Dallas. Wyatt W. Wood was named vice chairman; Mrs. Martha Robbins, treasurer, and Jimmy Robinson, secretary. Jerald Page and Monroe Reisman were elected to the board of directors, joining Homer Hungerford and Joe S. Caver. The association is four years old and has 45 members.

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The American Beauty Cover Company has remodeled and expanded its plant at 2002 North Field. The firm, which manufactures book covers, loose leaf covers, edition covers and binding, school annual covers, bank pass books and check covers, now has 30,000 square feet of space. New facilities include an art department and special display showroom. Officers of American Beauty Cover Company are C. T. Dean, chairman of the board; Kiel Sterling, president; Chas. R. Thompson, secretary-treasurer, and Paul Porter, vice president in charge of production.

**Record Firm Established.** Texas Records, Inc., wholesale distributors for London Records in Texas, has opened at 6115 Denton Drive. The Dallas area representative for the firm is Eric Kaszynski. The company is wholesale jobber for London Records sold to coin-operated machine businesses and retail record shops.



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The training supervisor of the Atlantic Refining Company of Dallas, DREW M. YOUNG, has been elected a vice president for Region 3 of the American Society of Training Directors for a two-year period.

The former chief of the underwriting division of the National Service Life Insurance office of the Dallas District V.A. office, TED R. DEMPSEY, has been named a partner in the firm of Wilson-Welch & Company, insurance and bonds.

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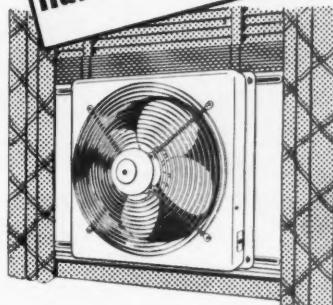


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The advertising director of the *Dallas Morning News*, HARRY D. GUY, has been awarded a medal by the dean of the University of Missouri School of Journalism in recognition of "a distinguished 40-year career in newspaper advertising."

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J. B. Shores of the Texas & Pacific Railway in Dallas has been elected president of the North Texas Chapter, Public Relations Society of America. Guy Witherspoon of Witherspoon & Ridings was named vice president and Marihelen McDuff of Neiman-Marcus was elected secretary-treasurer. New directors include Paul Cain of Eldean-Cain Organization, Inc.



#### Elected by Presidents

Lewis Grinnan, Jr., has been elected a member of the exclusive Young President's Organization. Mr. Grinnan, who is executive head of seven Dallas firms, has recently made two additions to the staff of the Lewis Grinnan Company. He said W. Dallas Addison was appointed mortgage loan representative and F. K. (Kirk) DeLany was named manager of the F.H.A. Title I department.

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ALBERT THOMPSON, vice president and treasurer of Superior Decals, Inc., has been elected to the board of the General American Investment Corporation.

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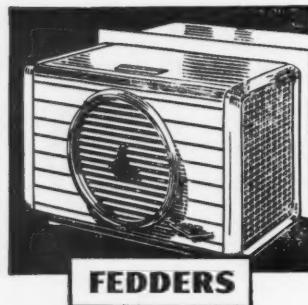
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The New York City-born secretary to Sig H. Badt with Southwestern Life Insurance Company says she has never regretted moving to Dallas.

Mrs. Harkins was educated in the public schools of New York and was graduated from Packard Business College there.

On leaving college she took a secretarial position with Wellington-Sears Company, textile agents. Next she was appointed executive secretary of the National Broadcasting Company.

She met and married John Harkins of Dallas while with N.B.C. Mr. Harkins was in New York while in the armed forces. When John, Jr., came along in 1945 and her husband was discharged from the service, the family moved to Dallas and Mrs. Harkins soon after took a secretarial job with the Sherwin-Williams Paint Company.

From Sherwin-Williams, Mrs. Harkins joined Mr. Badt in 1949.

During National Secretaries Week, beginning May 22, the "secretary of the secretaries" was also named chairman of the week's activities.

Miss Virginia Bell handled program arrangements for a one-day Institute for secretaries which was the highlight of National Secretaries Week. The institute featured Dr. Arthur A. Smith, vice president and economist of the First National Bank in Dallas; Dr. Pauline Mack, faculty member of North Texas State College, and Miss Anne Moore of Austin, a member of the institute for certifying professional secretaries.



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The N.S.A. is the world's largest association of women in one business, Mrs. Harkins said. Each member works for the aims of the association—the advancement of the secretarial profession through educational programs and service to the community.

The Dallas chapter has participated in the past as volunteer workers for the March of Dimes Telethon, the U.S.O., Goodwill Industries, Veterans hospitals and the American Red Cross.

As part of the educational program, the chapter is sponsoring a series of study courses in economics and business administration, business law and secretarial accounting.

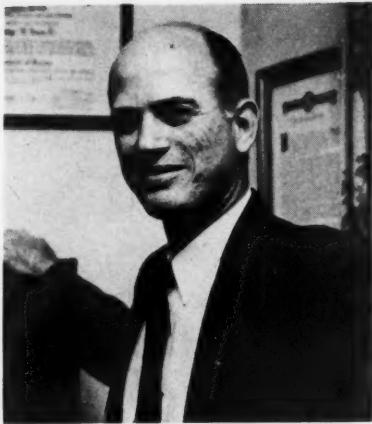
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Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company, Inc., has named F. L. BOYLE industrial sales manager of the tractor division and EUGENE METCALF, his assistant.

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A Dallas investment man, WILLIAM J. GARRETT, has been named sales manager and assistant to the president of Mid-Texas Trust and Insurance Securities Corporation.

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Milton E. Patterson, national bank examiner with the Wichita Falls and Dallas districts, has been named vice president and advisory director of the Empire State Bank. Mr. Patterson has been associated with banks in Hillsboro, Odessa and Seagraves. He served five years in the Air Force, being discharged with the rank of colonel. His education came from Hillsboro High School, Metropolitan Business College and the Army Finance School of Duke University.

An advertisement for Texas Office Furniture Co. It features a large illustration of a desk with multiple drawers. The company name "TEXAS OFFICE FURNITURE CO." is printed below the illustration. A list of products is shown on the right side, including Art Metal Desks, Jasper &amp; Imperial Wood Desks, Thomas Upholstered Furniture, Art Metal, Sikes &amp; Jasper Chairs, Postindex Visible Filing Systems, Art Metal Filing Cabinets, Wabash Filing Supplies, Fine Furniture Refinishing, and Top Quality Office Supplies.

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\*

RAY WILD has been promoted to southern regional manager for United Television programs.



#### Dental Society President

Dr. Earle Williams has been installed in the presidency of the Dallas County Dental Society. Dr. Joe H. Smith was named vice president, Dr. W. C. McCaskill, Jr., president-elect and Drs. Williams, McCaskill, Smith, O'Neal M. Gray, E. T. Gillean and Joe Favors, directors.



#### Alford Vice President

Edward M. Polakoff has been appointed vice president of Alford Refrigerated Warehouses, Inc., and will act as co-ordinator between the company and its national accounts. The Cadiz Street warehouse, with 15,000,000 cubic feet of space, is the largest of its kind in the world.

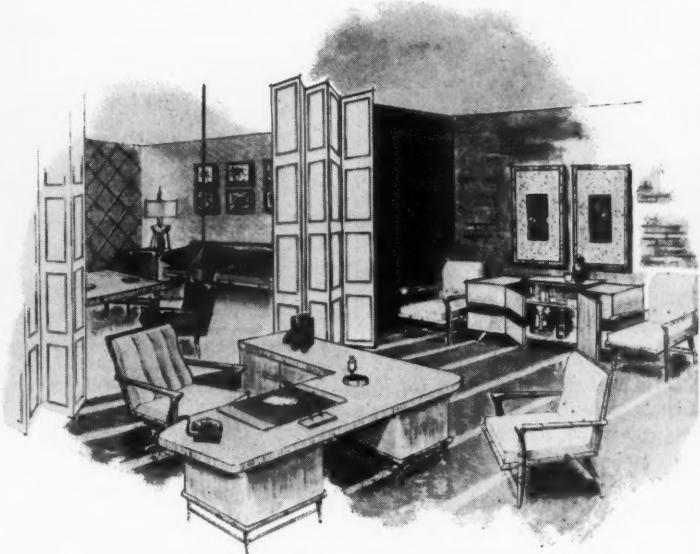
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The president of Braniff International Airways, CHARLES E. BEARD, has been named a member of the board of trustees of the United States Inter-American Council.

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Garrett & Company, Dallas investment bankers, has added ROGERS RAY, JR., to the firm's sales staff.

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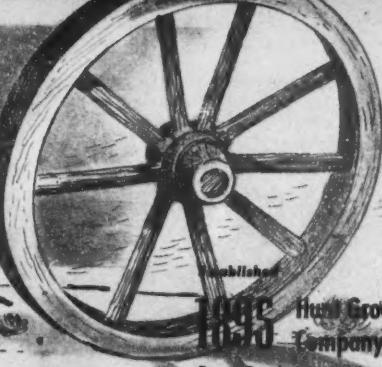
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in Texas

Opened Dallas Store in 1872

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Company

Manufacturers and  
Wholesale Distributors

**72** Waples-Platter  
Company

White Swan Fine Foods

**74** Bolanz &  
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**75** First National  
Bank in Dallas  
*Banking*

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*Insurance Managers*

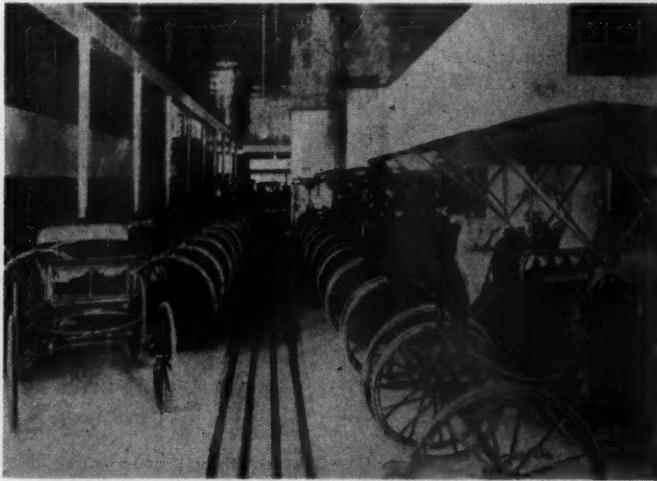
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Company  
*Printing, Lithographing, and  
Embossed Labels*

**83** Oriental Laundry  
and Cleaners  
*Fur Laundering, Cleaning,  
and Fur Storage*

**83** Fleming &  
Sons, Inc.  
*Manufacturers — Paper  
and Paper Products*



THE splendor of Dallas at the height of the horse and buggy era is reflected in this 1904 photograph of the interior of Fife and Miller's Fine Vehicle House in Dallas. Rubber tires, leather tops, upholstered seats and side lamps represented the last word in equipment and luxury. In that era Dallas was the largest center of harness manufacture and vehicle distribution in the nation. Dallas economy was definitely tied to the horse in that period and in 1907 Lindsley Waters, a Tennessee farm youth, came to Dallas and started a one man dairy which was also a one-horse distribution operation. Milkmen of that period delivered to the housewife in galvanized cans and poured long and short quarts into jars and pitchers. Young Waters pioneered a number of revolutionary sanitary innovations in Dallas. He constructed a sanitary milk barn, kept its floors scrubbed and its windows screened to keep out flies. Milkers were required to take a shower and put on clean uniforms before each milking. A milk room was installed where the milk was quickly cooled and bottled by machines which automatically capped and sealed sterilized bottles. About 1920, Tennessee Dairies pioneered with a pasteurizing plant. Throughout the years the company has continued to expand and grow with the Dallas Southwest. In August of 1952 the firm exchanged stock with Foremost Dairies, Inc., and Tennessee is now a subsidiary of this national group.

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**77** Hunt Grocery  
Company

Fancy Foods Importer and Domestic,  
Fine Food Gifts, All the Staples

**1897** Anderson  
Furniture Co.  
*Dallas' Oldest Furniture Store*

**1898** Lang's Floral  
& Nursery Co.

The Southwest's Foremost Florists,  
Decorators, Nursery Landscape  
Service

**1902** Cullum &  
Boren

Red Fox Athletic Uniforms  
Wholesale and Retail Sporting Goods

**1903** First Texas Chemi-  
cal Mfg. Company  
*Pharmaceutical Manufacturers*

**1903** Republic Insurance  
Company

Writing Fire, Tornado, Flood Lines,  
Inland Marine, and Auto  
Insurance

**1904** Burton & Wilkin  
*Over 100 Kinds of Insurance Sold*

**1906** Hesse Envelope  
Company

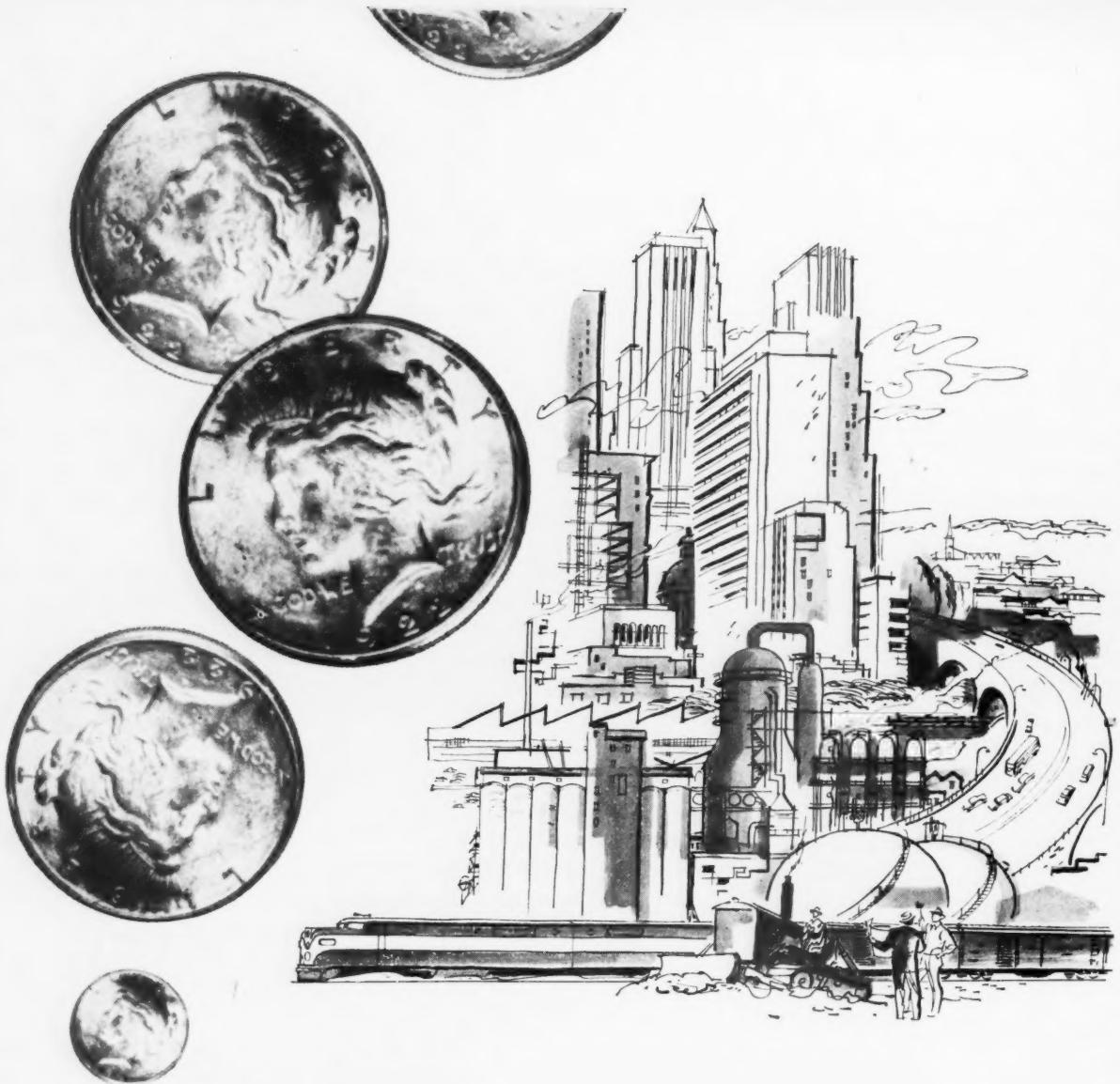
Manufacturers of Envelopes  
and File Folders

**1906** Geo. W. Works  
and Company  
*Realtors — Insurers*

**1907** Tennessee  
Dairies, Inc.  
*Foremost Dairy Products*

**1911** Graham-Kawn  
Shoe Company  
*Manufacturing Wholesalers*





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